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The Tiffinian Association

Wednesday 25th November

Dean Pavilion, Tiffinian Association Sports Ground, Summer Road, East Molesey KT8 9LS.

The bar will open at 7.00pm and the meeting will start at 8pm.

All members of the Tiffinian Association are welcome to attend.

Tiffin School Carol Service

We are delighted to invite Old Tiffinians and Friends to this year's Tiffin School Carol Service which will take place at All Saints, Kingston Parish Church on Wednesday 16th December at 7.30pm.

The service of Nine Lessons and Carols is an example of the school music at its very best.

Parking will be available in the school grounds.

If you would like to attend, please email Alex Swift at TAL@tiffin.kingston.sch.uk

Facebook

[Click here to sign up to 'Tiffin Friends - the Tiffinian Association' the official Facebook group for the Tiffinian Association.](#)

The **2007 Leaver's Video** is currently linked to the page – it's very slick!

If you know of any Tiffin-related items as good as this, please post them onto the page for other OT's to view.

Social News



The **2009 Tiffinian Association Annual Dinner** at the Tiffin School boathouse was very much enjoyed by all.

Hilda Clarke spoke about the future of the school. Dr John Moore-Gillon (pictured centre) entertained the dinner guests with his speech and re-lived playing hooker for the Old Tiff's extra A's between Huck Wright and Jumbo Raynham!



To view other photos of the evening [please click here.](#)



Old Tiffinians Rugby Football Club

Are you interested in playing rugby? Then maybe Old Tiffs is the club for you. We're always looking to strengthen our collective and would like to encourage you to come join us. Whether you are new to the game or re-introducing yourself or even if you just fancy playing at a decent level, Old Tiffs is the club to be at.

- We currently run two teams most Saturdays of the season (1st team – Surrey League 3), and as a club we are undefeated so far this season.
- We are based near Hampton Court (Home ground - Grist Memorial Ground, Summer Road, via Summer Road, off Hampton Court Way, East Molesey, Surrey, KT8 9LS);
- Most of our matches take place on Saturday afternoons from September until April
- Off the field, we are an increasingly social club, with events planned throughout the year. Our Christmas social has been organised for the 12th Dec 09 at the Goat Pub in Clapham. Guaranteed to be a great night out, please do come along! But saying that more or less every game has an impromptu social so please come and get involved!

If you're interested in playing, or joining us for one of our socials, then please contact Fenty on 07947 546 390 or james.fentiman@freud.com.

If you are still undecided, check out our website at <http://clubs.rfu.com/Clubs/portals/OldTiffiniansRFC/>

Tiffin School News

Bedelsford School, Kingston - a school for pupils who have a wide range of physical disabilities, profound and multiple learning difficulties and complex health issues.

Earlier this month, Tiffin music teachers Jo Korzinek and Mike Osborn took the Tiffin Swing Band and some Year 8 boys to perform samba music for the children at the school. Fun was had by all – the Tiffin boys played enthusiastically and the children of Bedelsford School loved the music and joined in by playing percussion instruments and dancing.



Rivers of the World Seminar, Bangkok, Thailand

'Rivers of the World' is the flagship art and education project of The Mayor's Thames Festival in partnership with the British Council. Earlier this month, six art teachers (including Richard Plummer of Tiffin School) attended a number of seminars and visited a diverse range of schools in Bangkok.

Tiffin School has been linked to Sirirattanathorn School, Bangkok and will be involved in a project called 'The Polluted River' in which Year 8 students will study the River Thames in London (cold water) and the River Chao Phraya in Bangkok (warm water). The plan is to collect water from both rivers in recycled plastic bottles, study it via microscopes and then link these to a computer to use the images to form works of art.

Tiffin School of Performing Arts

Tiffin School Production of 'West Side Story'

December 9th - 12th at 7pm (matinee at 2pm on Sat 12th Dec) in the main School Hall.

Tickets: £10 adults, £8 FOTM (Friends Of Tiffin Music) and concessions, £5 children.

Tickets can be purchased:

- by telephone from the Tiffin School shop on 020 8939 4375 using credit card or
- by post – please send a stamped SAE and a cheque payable to 'Tiffin School' to: Mrs A White, Music Department, Tiffin School, Queen Elizabeth Road, Kingston upon Thames, Surrey KT2 6RL



Calling all past Swing Band Members!



Plans are afoot within Friends of Tiffin Music to put together an evening commemorating **25 years of the Tiffin Swing Band**. Plans are still pretty loose at the moment, but it is hoped that it will take the shape of a dinner in a local hotel, during which various incarnations of the Swing Band will play through a few numbers. It will end up with the current Swing Band playing a full set so that people can get up and dance! If you or anyone you know is interested in joining in the celebrations or the mailing list, then please contact Miranda Fagandini at school at mfagandini@tiffin.kingston.sch.uk.

Social Events

Thursday 10th December: **OTA Social Lunch at Ristorante Sorrento**, 379 Ewell Road, Tolworth
Please contact Greer Kirkwood on 01483 850705 or at r.greer.kirkwood@ntlworld.co.uk if you wish to attend.

Saturday 12th December: **OT Rugby Club Christmas Social** at the Goat Pub in Clapham.
'Guaranteed to be a great night out!' Please contact James Fentiman on 07947 546 390 or james.fentiman@freud.com for further details.

Sports Events

Monday 21st December: **OTGS Christmas Meeting**

This will be held at Effingham Golf Club, Guildford Road, Effingham, Surrey KT24 5PZ
The cost for this will be £52 for OTGS members and £55 for any guests. This will include coffee and a bacon roll on arrival and a Christmas lunch to follow the golf.

Play will start at 8.30am.

Please let Allan Piggott (Fixtures Secretary) know if you wish to attend on 01483 282411 or at allan.piggott@btinternet.com by Thursday Dec 17.



Thursday 25th March 2010: **OTGS Spring Meeting**

This will be held at the New Zealand Golf Club, Woodham Lane, Addlestone, Surrey KT15 3QD

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